

CHARTER ORDINANCES

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CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 4

A Charter Ordinance relating to the election and tenure of office of the President and Trustees of the Village of Whitefish Bay, and electing not to be governed by certain provisions of Section 61.19; subsection (l) of Section 61.20; Section 61.23 and any other provision of Chapter 61 of the Statutes which are inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village of Whitefish Bay hereby elects not to be governed by those provisions of Section 61.19; subsection (l) of Section 61.20; Section 61.23 and any other provisions of Chapter 61 of the Statutes which are inconsistent with Section 2 of this Charter Ordinance.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to Charter Ordinance No. 2 of this Village, passed and adopted June 17, 1935, the term of office of the two trustees and their respective successors receiving the lowest number of votes cast at the 1936 annual election shall be two years and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified; the term of office of the trustee and his successor receiving the lowest number of votes cast at the 1937 annual Village election shall be two years and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; the term of office of the two trustees and their respective successors receiving the highest number of votes cast at the 1937 Village election shall be three years and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified; the term of office of the trustee receiving the highest number of votes cast at the 1936 annual election and his successor and of the President elected at the annual 1936 annual election and his successor shall be three years and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified; the term of office of the President and the trustees of this Village and their respective successors hereafter elected shall be three years and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby to such extent repealed, it being the intention by this ordinance to re-enact the provisions of Section 3 of said Charter Ordinance No. 3, passed and adopted October 4, 1937.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force sixty days after its passage and publication as provided by Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes, 1937 and acts mandatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20th day of December, A.D., 1937.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 7

A Charter Ordinance to Abolish the Office of Constable

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows by the authority of Section 3, Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, and Section 66.01 of the Wisconsin Statutes, 1943, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, hereinafter denominated "Wisconsin Statutes."

SECTION 1. The Village of Whitefish Bay hereby elects not to be governed by the provisions of Section 66.19, 61.28, 61.29 or any other provision of the Wisconsin Statutes, insofar as the same requires or authorizes the election or appointment of a constable in villages, and hereby elects to and does hereby abolish and discontinue the Office of Constable in the Village of Whitefish Bay.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby to such extent repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force sixty (60) days after its passage and publication as provided by Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, March 6, 1944.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 8

Relating to the inclusion within and subjection to the provisions of Section 66.90, Wisconsin Statutes, relating to the Wisconsin Municipal Retirement Fund of the Village of Whitefish Bay.

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to Section 66.90 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the Village of Whitefish Bay hereby elects that said Village and its eligible employees shall be included within and shall be subject to provision of said Section 66.90 of the Wisconsin Statutes relating to the Wisconsin Municipal Retirement Fund.

SECTION 2. Election is hereby made to provide prior service credits at a rate equal to two times the rates of municipality credits for current service to be applicable to employees of this Village as defined by Section 66.90 of the Wisconsin Statutes who are employed by this Village on the effective date of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. Upon the final enactment of this ordinance the Village Clerk shall submit a certified notice of the election made hereunder to the Board of Trustees of the Wisconsin Municipal Retirement Fund. Such notice of election shall:

1. Be in writing.
2. Indicate the date and result of such election.
3. Include a certification of the prior service contribution rates selected as being applicable to the employees of this Village.
4. Be officially certified by the Clerk of this Village.

SECTION 4. The effective date of participation shall be January 1, 1945, unless the Board of Trustees of Wisconsin Municipal Retirement Fund shall defer such effective date pursuant to Section 66.90 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

SECTION 5. This is Charter ordinance and shall take effect sixty (60) days after its passage and publication, unless within such sixty days a referendum petition shall be filed, as provided by Section 66.01 of the Wisconsin Statutes, in which event this ordinance shall not take effect until submitted to a referendum and approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Village Board of said Village of Whitefish Bay this 21st day of August, 1944.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO 12

A Charter Ordinance relating to the nomination of candidates for Village office by a primary election.

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to Section 5.27 (6) of the Wisconsin Statutes, the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, hereby elects not to be governed by Section 5.27 (1) and (2).

SECTION 2. The Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, hereby elects that candidates for elective Village offices shall be nominated by a nonpartisan primary conducted as directed by Chapter 5 of the Wisconsin Statutes so far as applicable, provided that nomination papers shall be signed by electors not less than three per centum of the number of electors voting therein for governor at the last preceding election, but no less than fifteen (15) voters, which shall be filed with the Village Clerk not less than twenty (20) days before such primary, not later than five P.M. on said day. In such event no additional candidates may be nominated for such offices by the method provided by this section.

SECTION 3. The Village Clerk shall give notice of the primary election and take all other steps as may be required by Statute relative to the conduct of such primary election.

SECTION 4. This is a Charter Ordinance and shall take effect sixty (60) days after its passage and publication, unless within such sixty (60) days a referendum petition shall be filed as provided by Section 66.01 of the Wisconsin Statutes, in which event this ordinance shall not take effect until submitted to a referendum and approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of October, A.D., 1950.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 13

An Ordinance to amend the Charter of the Village of Whitefish Bay to provide for the combining of the offices of Village Clerk and Village Treasurer.

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, pursuant to Section 3 of Article XI of the Wisconsin Constitution, and Section 61.195, 61.197 and 66.01 of the Wisconsin Statutes, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village of Whitefish Bay elects not to be governed by the provisions of Sections 61.19, 61.23 and 61.25 (2) of the Wisconsin Statutes which relate to the Village Clerk and Village Treasurer and which are in conflict with the provisions of this Charter Ordinance.

SECTION 2. The Village of Whitefish Bay elects to combine the offices of Village Clerk and Village Treasurer as a single full-time office, and the official to perform the duties of such office shall be designated as Village Clerk-Treasurer.

SECTION 3. Such Village Clerk-Treasurer shall be elected at the annual spring election for a term of two (2) years, beginning with the spring election of 1958 and each two (2) years thereafter.

SECTION 4. Such Village Clerk-Treasurer shall exercise the same power and perform the same duties as by law and shall be conferred upon and required of Village Clerk and Village Treasurers and shall be subject to the same penalties and liabilities and shall receive such compensation as the Village Board shall determine and the acts of the Treasurer shall be covered by official bond as required by law as the Village Board shall determine.

SECTION 5. The Village Board is hereby empowered to appoint such assistants and deputies as it shall deem necessary to assist such Village Clerk-Treasurer in the performance of his or her duties; such assistants and deputies shall be designated by such titles and shall receive such compensation as the Village Board shall determine, and the acts of such assistants and deputies shall be covered by official bond as the Village Board shall determine.

SECTION 6. The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay shall cause an annual audit to be made of such Village Clerk-Treasurer by a Certified Public Accountant.

SECTION 7. The Village Clerk-Treasurer shall sign all orders on the Village treasury up to and including the sum of \$500.00 as such Village Clerk-Treasurer. All orders on the Village treasury over \$500.00 shall require the signature of the Village Clerk-Treasurer and the counter-signature of the Village Commissioner or the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Village Board. In the absence of the signature of the Village Clerk-Treasurer, orders on the Village treasury shall require the signature of the Village Commissioner and the counter-signature of the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Village Board.

SECTION 8. All ordinance or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby to such extent repealed.

SECTION 9. This is a Charter Ordinance and shall take effect sixty (60) days after its passage and publication unless within such sixty-day period a referendum petition, as provided by Section 66.01 of the Wisconsin Statutes, shall be filed, in which event this ordinance shall not take effect until it shall have been submitted to a referendum vote of the electors and approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of August, 1957.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 14

A Charter Ordinance relating to the office of
Village Clerk-Treasurer

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, by authority of Section 3 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin and of Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes, do hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village of Whitefish Bay elects not to be governed by the provisions of Sections 61.19, 61.23 and 61.25 (2) of the Wisconsin Statutes which relate to the Village Clerk and Village Treasurer and which are in conflict with the provisions of this Charter Ordinance.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to Sections 61.195 and 61.197, Wisconsin Statutes, the office of the Village Clerk-Treasurer shall be held by an officer who shall be designated Village Clerk-Treasurer and shall be appointed by the Village Board at the regular meeting of the Village Board next following the first Tuesday in April in each year in which is to be held a general election of state officers, for a term of two years commencing on the first day of May succeeding his appointment and until his successor shall be appointed and qualify.

SECTION 3. Said Clerk-Treasurer shall exercise the same power and perform the same duties as by law are and shall be conferred upon and required of Village Clerks and Village Treasurers, and in particular the Clerk and Treasurer of the Village of Whitefish Bay, and be subject to the same penalties and liabilities; and shall receive such compensation as the Village Board shall determine; and the acts of said Clerk-Treasurer shall be covered by official bond as required by law and as the Village Board shall determine.

SECTION 4. The Village Board is hereby empowered to appoint such assistants and deputies as it shall deem necessary to assist said Clerk-Treasurer in the performance of his duties; said assistants and deputies shall be designated by such titles and shall receive such compensation as the Village Board shall determine; and the acts of said assistants and deputies shall be covered by official bond as the Village Board shall determine.

SECTION 5. All ordinance or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby to such extent repealed.

SECTION 6. This Charter Ordinance shall take effect sixty (60) days after its passage and publication in the Whitefish Bay Herald unless within such sixty day period a referendum petition, as provided by Section 66.01 of the Wisconsin Statutes, shall be filed, in which event this ordinance shall not take effect until it shall have been submitted to a referendum vote of the electors and approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 4th day of November, 1963.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 15

A Charter Ordinance relating to the election and tenure of office of Assessor of the Village of Whitefish Bay and electing not to be governed by certain provisions of Section 61.19 of the Wisconsin Statutes, and providing for the appointment thereof pursuant to Sections 61.195 and 61.197 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, by authority of Section 3 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin and of Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes, 1961, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village of Whitefish Bay hereby elects not to be governed by such provisions of Sections 61.19 and 61.23 of the Statutes of the State of Wisconsin which relate to the election and tenure of the Assessor of said Village as shall be inconsistent with Sections 2 and 3 of this Charter Ordinance.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to Sections 61.195 and 61.197 of the Statutes of the State of Wisconsin, the office of Village Assessor shall be held by an officer who shall be designated Village Assessor and shall be appointed by the Village Board at the regular meeting of the Village Board next following the first Tuesday in February in each year in which is to be held a general election of state officers, for a term of two years commencing on the 1st day of May 1966 succeeding his appointment and until his successor shall be appointed and qualify; thereafter, on the 1st day of April succeeding his appointment and until his successor shall be appointed and qualify.

SECTION 3. Said Assessor shall exercise the same power and perform the same duties as by law are and shall be conferred upon and required of Village Assessors, and in particular the Assessor of the Village of Whitefish Bay, and be subject to the same penalties and liabilities; and shall receive such compensation as the Village Board shall determine; and the acts of said Assessor shall be covered by official bond as required by law and as the Village Board shall determine.

SECTION 4. The Village Board is hereby empowered to appoint such assistants and deputies as it shall deem necessary to assist said Assessor in the performance of his duties; said assistants and deputies shall be designated by such titles and shall receive such compensation as the Village Board shall determine; and the acts of said assistants and deputies shall be covered by official bond as the Village Board shall determine.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with this ordinance are hereby to such extent repealed.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force in accordance with the provisions of Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes, 1961, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, on November 22, 1965.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20th day of September 1965.

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 16

A Charter Ordinance relating to the office of
Village Attorney

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, by authority of Section 3 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin and of Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, do hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village Board of Whitefish Bay hereby repeals Charter Ordinance No. 11.

SECTION 2. This Charter Ordinance shall take effect sixty (60) days after its passage and publication as provided by Section 66.01, Wisconsin Statutes.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 8th day of July, 1974.